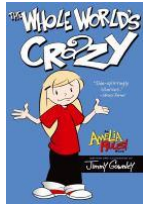


DIARY of a Wimpy Kid

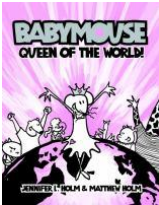
Graphic Novel

J GN AME ***Amelia Rules!: The Whole World's Crazy***, Jimmy Gownley



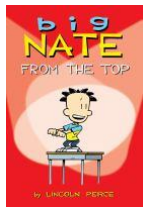
She's nine years old, a former New Yorker who's now living in a small town after her parents decided to get divorced, and dealing with everything from being the new kid in school to getting her first kiss. But she's got her mom and her aunt Tanner (who happens to be an ex-rock star) and her friends Reggie, Rhonda, and Pajamaman, and everything's going to be okay. Except, of course, when it isn't. In this first book of Amelia's adventures, Amelia and her friends take on bullies (and Santa!), barely survive gym class, and receive a disgustingly detailed explanation of the infamous Sneeze Barf.

J GN BAB ***Babymouse: Queen of the World***, Jennifer L. Holm



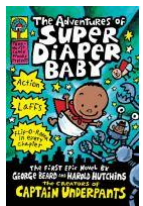
An imaginative mouse dreams of being queen of the world, but will settle for an invitation to the most popular girl's slumber party.

J GN BIG ***Big Nate: From the Top***, Lincoln Pierce



Nate Wright is an eleven years old sixth grader who has the distinction of setting the record for school detentions.

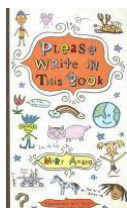
J GN SUP ***The Adventures of Super Diaper Baby***, Dav Pilkey



Irrepressible friends George and Harold create a new comic book superhero, Super Diaper Baby.

Fiction

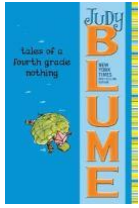
J F AMA ***Please Write in This Book***, Mary Amato



When Ms. Wurtz leaves a blank book in the Writer's Corner with a note encouraging those who find it to "talk to each other" in its pages, the student's entries spark a classroom-wide battle.

J F BLU

***Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing*, Judy Blume**



Life with his little brother, Fudge, makes Peter Hatcher feel like a fourth grade nothing. Whether Fudge is throwing a temper tantrum in a shoe store or smearing mashed potatoes on the walls at Hamburger Heaven, he's never far from trouble. He's an almost three-year-old terror who gets away with everything, and Peter's had it up to here! When Fudge walks off with Dribble, Peter's pet turtle, it's the last straw. How can he get his parents to pay attention to him for a change?

J F CLE

***Frindle*, Andrew Clements**



When he decides to turn his fifth grade teacher's love of the dictionary around on her, clever Nick Allen invents a new word and begins a chain of events that quickly moves beyond his control.

J F GUT

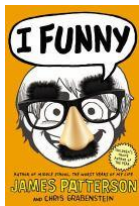
***The Homework Machine*, Dan Gutman**



Four fifth-grade students--a geek, a class clown, a teacher's pet, and a slacker--as well as their teacher and mothers, each relate events surrounding a computer programmed to complete homework assignments. (Sequel ***The Return of the Homework Machine***).

J F PAT

***I Funny: A Middle School Story*, James Patterson**



Jamie Grimm's a middle schooler on a mission: he wants to become the world's greatest standup comedian, even if he doesn't have a lot to laugh about these days. He's new in town and stuck living with his aunt, uncle, and their evil son Stevie, a bully who doesn't let Jamie's wheelchair stop him from giving Jamie a good pounding every once in awhile. (Sequel ***I Even Funnier***)

J F SPI

***Smiles to Go*, Jerry Spinelli**



Will Tuppen's life has always been ruled by science and common sense but in ninth grade, shaken up by the discovery that protons decay, he begins to see the entire world differently and gains new perspective on his relationships with his little sister and two closest friends.

J F YOU

***Doodlebug*, Karen Romano Young**



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Humor

J F HOL

Middle School is Worse Than Meatloaf, Jennifer L. Holm



Told entirely through notes, grocery receipts, and a vast array of other items, this story follows Ginny as she accidentally dyes her hair pink, throws live frogs in class, and loses the lead role in ballet to her ex-best friend.

J F KLI

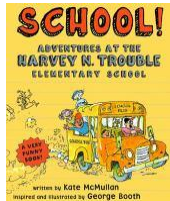
Regarding the Fountain: A Tale, in Letters, of Liars and Leaks, Kate Klise



When the principal asks a fifth-grader to write a letter regarding the purchase of a new drinking fountain for their school, he finds that all sorts of chaos results.

J F MCM

School!: The Adventures at Harvey N. Trouble School, Kate McMullen

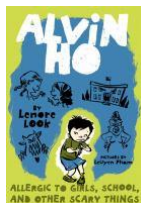


Each morning, student Ron Faster hurries to Harvey N. Trouble School, where he encounters such staff members as science teacher Ms. Roxanne Pebbles, music instructor Mrs. Doremi Fasollatido, and the resigning janitor Mr. Iquit.

Series

J SER ALV

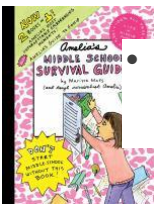
Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things, Lenore Look



A young boy in Concord, Massachusetts, who loves superheroes and comes from a long line of brave Chinese farmer-warriors, wants to make friends, but first he must overcome his fear of everything.

J SER AME

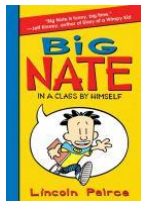
Amelia's Middle School Survival Guide, Marisa Moss



Amelia records in her diary a nightmare come true when her embarrassing older sister tags along on a sixth-grade class trip, and then she learns about the nasty side of gossip when rumors start about her at her new school.

J SER BIG

Big Nate: In a Class by Himself, Lincoln Pierce



Big Nate is in a class by himself! But things don't always go your way just because you're awesome. Nate keeps his cool. He knows he's destined for greatness. A fortune cookie told him so.

J SER CAP

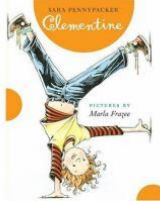
***The Adventures of Captain Underpants*, Dav Pilkey**



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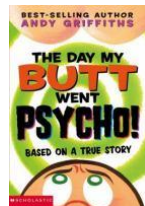
***Clementine*, Sara Pennypacker**



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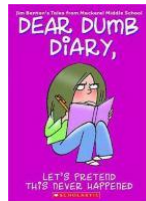
***The Day My Butt Went Psycho*, Andy Griffiths**



When Zack's butt decides to run away, Zack ends up on a journey across the Great Windy Desert, through the Brown Forest, and over the Sea of Butts before descending into the heart of an explosive buttcano to face the biggest butt of all.

J SER DEA

***Dear Dumb Diary: Let's Pretend This Never Happened*, Jim Benton**



Perfect girls make perfect enemies. Jamie thinks the perfect Angeline is a perfect goon. And will Jamie survive her little cousin's visit and her mum's nasty casserole? Sneak a peek inside the diary of Jamie Kelly, who promises that everything she writes is true ... or at least as true as it needs to be.

J SER DOR

***Dork Diaries: Tales From a Not-So-Fabulous Life*, Rachel Renee Russell**



Fourteen-year-old Nikki Maxwell writes in her diary of her struggle to be popular at her exclusive new private school, then of finding her place after she gives up on being part of the elite group.

J SER DRA

***Dragonbreath*, Ursula Vernon**



Danny Dragonbreath is the only mythical creature at a school filled with reptiles and amphibians. He can't breathe fire like normal dragon. The school bully keeps stealing his lunch. And now Danny has to rewrite his report about the ocean and use, ahem, actual research. His loyal but nerdy best friend Wendell suggests the library. But Danny has a way better plan.

J SER ELL

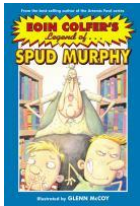
***Ellie McDoodle*, Ruth McNally Barshaw**



Eleven-year-old Ellie McDoodle illustrates her sketchbook with chronicles of her adventures and mishaps while camping with her cousins, aunt, and uncle.

J SER EOI

***The Legend of Spud Murphy*, Eoin Colfer**



When their mother starts dropping them off at the library several afternoons a week, nine-year-old William and his brother dread boredom and the overbearing librarian, but they are surprised at how things turn out.

J SER FRA

***Frankie Pickle*, Eric Wight**



Fourth-grader Frankie Piccolini has a vivid imagination when it comes to cleaning his disastrously messy room, but eventually even he decides that it is just too dirty.

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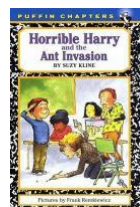
***Franny K. Stein: Lunch Walks Among Us*, Jim Benton**



Franny K. Stein is a mad scientist who prefers all things spooky and creepy, but when she has trouble making friends at her new school she experiments with fitting in--which works until a monster erupts from the trashcan.

J SER HOR

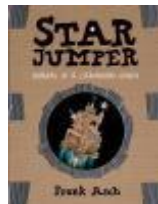
***Horrible Harry and the Ant Invasion*, Suzy Kline**



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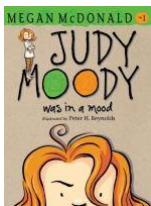
***Star Jumper*, Frank Asch**



Determined to get far away from his evil little brother, Alex works to design a spaceship that will take him so far away from Earth that not even the NASA experts can find him, yet when his brother catches on to his plan, Alex fears that his nearly finished project may be ruined before he gets his chance to take-off.

J SER JUD

***Judy Moody*, Megan McDonald**



Third grader Judy Moody is in a first day of school bad mood until she gets an assignment to create a collage all about herself and begins creating her masterpiece, the Me collage.

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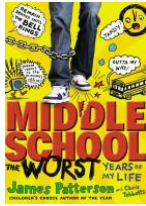
***Melonhead*, Katy Kelly**



In the Washington, D.C. neighborhood of Capitol Hill, Lucy Rose's friend Adam "Melonhead" Melon, a budding inventor with a knack for getting into trouble, enters a science contest that challenges students to recycle an older invention into a new invention.

J SER MID

***Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life*, James Patterson**



When Rafe Khatchadorian enters middle school, he teams up with his best friend, "Leo the Silent," to create a game to make school more fun by trying to break every rule in the school's code of conduct.

J SER MOX

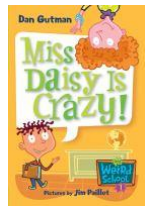
***Moxy Maxwell Does Not Love Stuart Little*, Peggy Elizabeth Gifford**



With summer coming to an end, about-to-be-fourth-grader Moxy Maxwell does a hundred different things to avoid reading her assigned summer reading book.

J SER MYW

***My Weird School: Miss Daisy is Crazy!*, Dan Gutman**



Never before has school been this mixed up-or this much fun! Miss Daisy, who teaches second grade, doesn't know how to add or subtract. Not only that, she doesn't know how to read or write, either. She is the dumbest teacher in the history of the world!

J SER NER

***NERDS: National Espionage, Rescue, and Other Defense Society*, Michael**



Buckley

While running a spy network from their elementary school, five unpopular misfits combine their talents and use cutting-edge gadgetry to fight evil around the world.

J SER ORI

***The Strange Case of Origami Yoda*, Tom Angleberger**

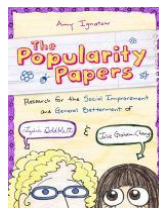


In this funny, uncannily wise portrait of the dynamics of a sixth-grade class and of the greatness that sometimes comes in unlikely packages, Dwight, a loser, talks to his classmates via an origami finger puppet of Yoda. Origami Yoda predicts the date of a pop quiz, guesses who stole the classroom Shakespeare bust, and saves a classmate from popularity-crushing embarrassment with some well-timed advice. Dwight's classmate Tommy wonders how Yoda can be so smart when

Dwight himself is so clueless. With contributions from his puzzled classmates, he assembles the case file that forms this novel.

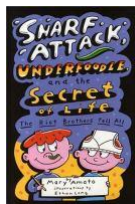
J SER POP

***The Popularity Papers*, Amy Ignatow**



Two best friends embark on a project to study the behavior and taste of the popular girls at their elementary school so that by the time they get to middle school they too will be in the right crowd. Novel appears in the form of a scrapbook.

J SER RIO



Snarf Attack, Underfoodle, and the Secret of Life: The Riot Brothers Tell All, Mary Amato

Narrated by fifth-grader Wilbur and featuring his third-grade brother, Orville, this hilarious story follows the antics of two boys with overactive imaginations and a comfortable sibling relationship.

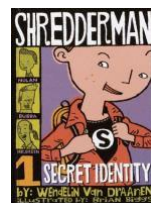
J SER ROS



Roscoe Riley Rules: Never Glue Your Friends to Chairs, Katherine Applegate

When the first-graders' bee antennae would not stay on their heads and the drummers would not stay in their seats for the open house play, Roscoe decides to help by using the "don't-you-dare" glue.

J SER SHR



Secret Identity, Wendelin Van Draanen

Alvin Bixby: Hulking, knuckles of steel, hideous breath, foul temper. Kids call him: Bubba. Nolan Byrd: Puny, power walker, math genius, can't keep shoes tied. Kids call him: Nerd. Bubba has been the bane of Nolan's existence for five long years. So when Mr. Green asks the class to become reporters, Nolan decides he'll write an exposé—on Bubba. He doesn't want to sign his name to it (that'd be suicidal), so Nolan creates a secret identity for himself—on the Internet. He launches Shredderman.com as a place where truth and justice prevail—and bullies get what's coming to them. This hilariously triumphant story is for any kid who's ever dreamed of unleashing their own inner superhero!

J SER SPA



Spaceheadz, Jon Scieszka

Michael K. just started fifth grade at a new school. As if that wasn't hard enough, the kids he seems to have made friends with apparently aren't kids at all. They are aliens. Real aliens who have invaded our planet in the form of school children and a hamster. They have a mission to complete: to convince 3,140,001 kids to BE SPHDZ. But with a hamster as their leader, "kids" who talk like walking advertisements, and Michael K as their first convert, will the SPHDZ be able to keep their cover and pull off their assignment?

J SER SWI



Swindle, Gordon Korman

After unscrupulous collector S. Wendell Palamino cons him out of a valuable baseball card, sixth-grader Griffin Bing puts together a band of misfits to break into Palomino's heavily guarded store and steal the card back, planning to use the money to finance his father's failing invention, the SmartPick fruit picker.

J SER UND



Prince of Underwhere, Bruce Hale

When Zeke, his twin sister Stephanie, their neighbor Hector, and Hector's cat Fitz slide into the world of Underwhere, Zeke is hailed as a prince who will, according to an ancient prophecy, free the Undies from the evil UnderLord's rule by finding and destroying his throne.

J SER WHO ***Attack of the Growling Eyeballs***, Lin Oliver



Daniel Funk, who lives with three sisters, his mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, has always wanted a brother, and when he suddenly shrinks to the size of a toe, he discovers that he has a twin brother who is the same size.

Biography

J B SCI ***Knucklehead: Tall Tales & Mostly True Stories About Growing Up Scieszka***, Jon Scieszka



How did Jon Scieszka get so funny, anyway? Growing up as one of six brothers was a good start, but that was just the beginning. Throw in Catholic school, lots of comic books, lazy summers at the lake with time to kill, babysitting misadventures, TV shows, jokes told at family dinner, and the result is Knucklehead. Part memoir, part scrapbook, this hilarious trip down memory lane provides a unique glimpse into the formation of a creative mind and a free spirit.



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